

In our good friend  
 Dr. W. C. Cresson - When these  
 I send these - Preserving  
 you see - when you  
 further send others  
 in reference to  
 I'm at work  
 try not to disturb  
 my pocket from the  
 reference found -  
 With the best  
 wishes of the team  
 & ourselves  
 Yours sincerely  
 Wm. Cresson

Fountaindale Ill  
 Jan 2 1874

Prof A Gray  
 Dear Sir

I write to  
 say that I have made  
 up a little bundle of  
 plants which I will  
 carry to Rockford in  
 a few days to send  
 you by express -

Of the *Campitales* I  
 have kept specimens  
 under corresponding  
 nos, and will be glad  
 to have your report  
 on forms of *Solidago* &  
 I think I can  
 clear draft on the Oaks  
 last fall but as I